

Dallas Senior High News

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Honor Society Inducts New Members

Six new members were inducted into Westmoreland Chapter, National Honor Society, in a special assembly on April 6 at Dallas Senior High School. The initiates, members of the Junior Class, are Susan Fleming, Marleen Futch, Paul Haradem, John Moliski, Charlotte Roberts and John Wardell. They were made a part of this nation-wide organization at an impressive ceremony, witnessed by parents, teachers and the student body.

Induction to this society is the greatest honor which a high school student can achieve. Only those students with a 90% average or better are eligible. From this select group new members are chosen by the faculty, on the basis of character, leadership and service.

Senior members of the Honor Society, all of whom participated in the induction, are Sandra Ambrose, Mary Bennett, Jon Butler, Lewis Chere, Dale Mosier, Elsa Orchard, Diane Payne, Barbara Tag, Judith Williams, and Mary Zarychta. Mary Alice Knecht, now an exchange student in Sweden, is also a member.

Key Club

What is the Key Club? How does a boy become a member at Dallas Senior High School? These questions are being asked by many people who are not cognizant of the work performed by these lads.

In our conversation with Mr. Trimble, principal of the school, we were informed that the Key Club is directed by Mr. George McCutcheon and Mr. Robert Dolbear, members of the faculty and they are assisted by Mr. William Wright, a member of Dallas Kiwanis Club.

Membership requirements are simple and meaningful. A boy who wishes to become a member must be willing to work with members of the club in the required projects outlined by the club's constitution.

tution. These are:

1. Work in school projects which are aimed at improving good school relationship between teachers, faculty and students. Whenever school officials have need for assistance in projects pertaining to school affairs these boys are expected to be willing to offer their time and services.

2. When projects in the community require help, these boys are often called upon to assist. One example is the work being done at the Library Auction each summer.

3. To volunteer services in their churches such as ushers, labor for church banquets, etc.

No student is refused the privilege of making application. The application blanks filled out by each boy will be checked by teachers to ascertain whether a boy has a good citizenship record at the school.

The club has a standing rule that no one represent them who does not wish to be classed as a good student in manners and initiative.

The only boys who will not be accepted by the club are boys who have no desire to act like young gentlemen, boys who insist on having long-type haircombs which are not symbolic of school principles and boys who wish to be members without taking part in the work activities. These are the simple rules any boy must follow if he wishes membership in the Key Club.

Members of the club are expected to continue their interest and activity in the club or they will be placed on probation and eventually dropped if their fellow members feel as though these boys have lost interest.

A&P To Demonstrate Meat-Cutting For Back Mt. Homemakers Holiday

Back Mountain Homemakers Holiday invites all women of the area to a two-hour meat-cutting demonstration to be staged May 8 by Dallas A&P Store. The program, scheduled to start at 9:30 a.m. will be presented at Shavertown Methodist Church, where equipment and power apparatus will be set up in advance.

Under direction of H. A. Sadler, meat superintendent for A&P Stores, with offices in Scranton, an entire side of beef will be reduced by expert butchers to steaks, roasts, short-ribs, stewing beef, hamburger and suet.

Questions on preparation of meat dishes will be welcomed, and explanation given as to why beef must be "marbled" with sufficient fat to insure a tender steak or roast; what makes one cut superior to another; what contributes to the cost of beef. A pork loin will also be cut.

The A&P offers 25 door prizes. Each woman will receive a number and drawing will take place at the conclusion of the program.

The A&P will also serve coffee and doughnuts.

Mrs. William King arranged the program. She chanced to be marketing at the A&P in Dallas Shopping Center when Mr. Sadler arrived to inspect the meat department, and talked with him about meats. Mr. Sadler was delighted to cooperate in presenting a program, open to all women of the community, to clear up misconceptions about handling

of meat, selection, and preparation. For that one session, no other classes will be given, so that everybody may enjoy the demonstration. There will be no admission charge.

Barbara Vivian is chairman of Back Mountain Homemakers Holiday.

State's Common Fossils Subject Of New Booklet

"Common Fossils of Pennsylvania" is the title of a newly published booklet announced by Secretary of Internal Affairs Genevieve Blatt.

She said the publication was the first of a new series of pamphlets on "popular geology" of Pennsylvania which the Department of Internal Affairs plans to issue.

"This booklet is designed to acquaint its readers with the scope and importance of geology in their everyday life," Miss Blatt said. "The other publications in the educational series that has been planned are also intended to fill an ever increasing need for resource materials in our schools, especially those which teach the earth sciences. Subject matter to be dealt with in the series will include rocks and minerals, fossils, ground water, Pennsylvania's general geology, Pennsylvania and the ice ages, and many others."

Authored by Donald M. Hoskins, Geologist of the Department's Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey, "Common Fossils of Pennsylvania," is available without charge upon written request. The 20 page booklet is profusely illustrated with drawings by Albert Van Olden.

The bathtub was invented in 1850 and the telephone in 1875. Had you been living in 1850, you could have sat in the bathtub for 25 years without the phone ringing once!

Saturday Opera Last Of Season

The final opera in the current season of Metropolitan Opera Saturday afternoon broadcasts will be Verdi's "La Traviata" on Saturday, April 21st., over Radio Station WLK and the special Metropolitan Opera Radio Network.

Because of its broadcasts of the Metropolitan Opera, Radio Station WLK along with other stations has been honored by the Saturday Review of Literature, the only radio program series named by the publication in its annual awards for "Distinguished Achievement in the Public Interest."

This will mark the second year of broadcasting of the Opera on an independent network of one hundred and fourteen stations, united each Saturday afternoon to present the Metropolitan performances "live" across the nation. Starting in "La Traviata" will be soprano Anna Moffo, tenor Barry Morrell and baritone

Mario Sereni. The career of soprano Elizabeth Rethberg will be highlighted on the "Biographies in Music" series during the intermission period.

During the last intermission between acts of the opera, Metropolitan Opera General Manager, Rudolf Bing, will be interviewed by Jay Harrison and Edward Downes. At this time, Mr. Bing will reveal some of the future Metropolitan Opera plans and give the official Metropolitan farewell of the season to radio audience.

Easter Floral Display Despite April 22 Date

Easter is a little late this year but Pennsylvania's many floral displays should be right on time.

The long Easter weekend will provide an excellent opportunity to visit the famous Hershey gardens when 30,000 tulips are expected to be in bloom. An extensive outdoor display of Spring flowers will greet the visitor to Longwood Gardens, one of the finest formal gardens in

the world. Fascinating fountain displays are an added attraction at Longwood, 30 miles west of Philadelphia.

Apples blossoms will be a feature of Adams County (home of Gettysburg) in late April and early May. The visitor to Pennsylvania at Easter may pick a spot almost anywhere in the southeast and south-central section of the state (roughly a triangular section bounded by Allentown-Bethlehem on the northeast, Gettysburg on the southwest and Philadelphia on the southeast) where he will find a multitude of flowers, both cultivated and wild.

This area includes the well-manicured farms of the colorful Pennsylvania Dutch country, always a delight to the visitor, where every home has its own flower display.

Impressive Easter sunrise services will be held at the new flip-top Civic Arena in Pittsburgh and at the Central Moravian Church in Bethlehem. The Bethlehem service will feature the famous Trombone Choir and "God's Acre" ceremonies.

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LAKE-LEHMAN HIGH SCHOOL

By EDITOR Mary Ann Laskowski
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Recently, the Future Nurses Club at Lehman heard Mrs. Porter and Miss Shuppame of Nesbitt Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Porter, a graduate of Nesbitt, will shortly receive a B.S. degree in Nursing Education from Wilkes College. She is the head of the scholarship committee at the hospital.

Miss Shuppame is a student nurse in her second year of nursing. They spoke on the requirements for admission for Nesbitt.

ATTEND BANQUET: Mrs. Thelma Culp and Mr. Arthur Nuss attended the banquet observing the 25th anniversary of the Teacher Tenure Act at Host Restaurant April 7.

EASTER ASSEMBLIES:

A spring fashion show directed by Mrs. Mildred Scrutsky was presented in assembly at the Lake Building. In keeping with the Easter season, the background of the stage gave the impression of a huge broken egg shell from which the fashion models emerged. Girls pursuing the home economic course from grades eight, nine, ten, and eleven participated. Wanda Minor was narrator.

A duet by Jane and Joyce DelKanic accompanied by Larry Carpenter was presented as entertain-

ment. Assembly at the Lehman Building was also a fashion show, but of a different sort. The fashions shown were from 1925.

Barbara Tutsick sang "The Palms" and an ensemble from the junior chorus sang an Easter hymn. Accompanist was Ellen Harris.

Mr. Lester Squire delivered his Easter message, which was based on the letter written by Charles Dickens to his family during this season.

Future Nurse Club at Lake Building has as their project Easter egg decoration. The eggs are to be given to the children in the pediatric departments of the hospitals.

STUDENTS ENJOY VACATION: Since Friday, April 13, students in area schools are enjoying Easter Vacation. Classes will resume Tuesday, April 24.

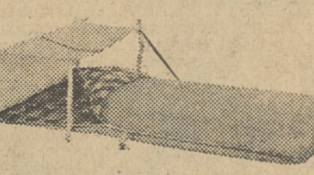
With all this time off, we suppose the parents wonder what the students will do to keep their minds on education. Well, just to give you an idea, we know we have term papers, book reports and various projects to do before the reopening of school.

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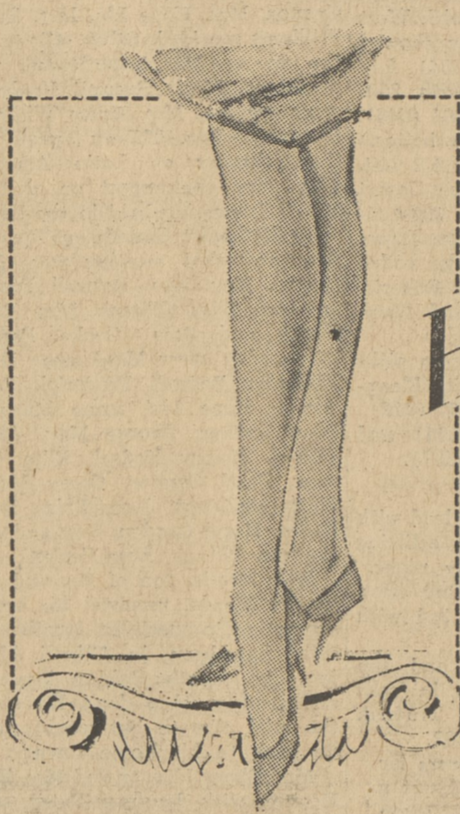
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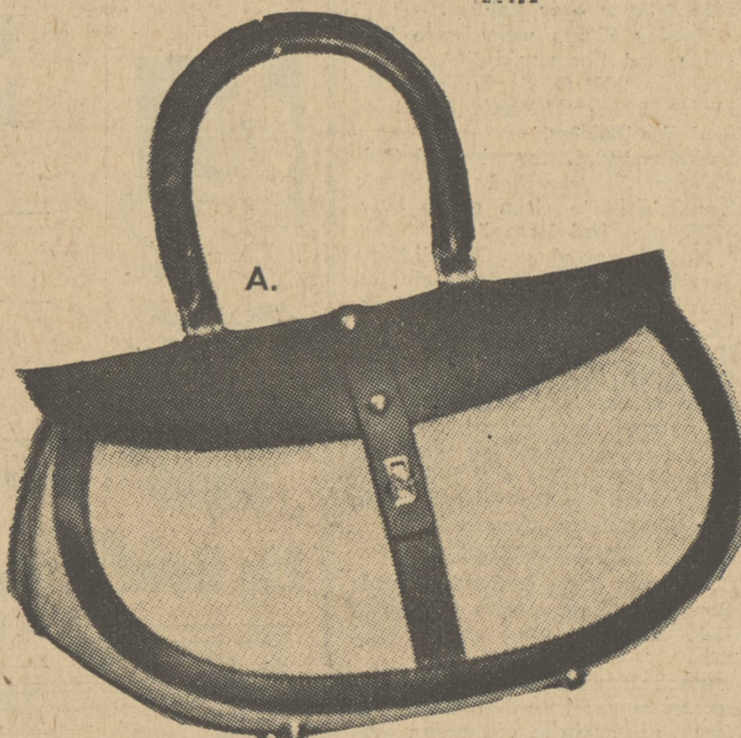
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